

ADVISORY BULLETIN

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Purchasing Limits for Medical and Adult-Use Marijuana Facilities

Daily: A sale or transfer of marijuana product to a registered qualifying patient or registered primary caregiver may not exceed the daily purchasing limit of 2.5 ounces per day per registered qualifying patient.

Monthly: A sale or transfer of marijuana product to a registered qualifying patient – either directly or through the qualifying patient's registered primary caregiver – may not exceed the monthly purchasing limit of 10 oz/month per registered qualifying patient.

Usable marijuana – the daily purchasing limit for flower, resin, and extract (shatter, waxes, oils, vapes) is determined by the weight of the product.

Marijuana-infused products (tinctures, edibles, etc) – must follow the usable marijuana equivalency conversion specified in the Michigan Medical Marijuana Act.

The grower or processor must determine the net weight or net volume of the product as specified in Rule 61. Products can be sold in any combination as long as the purchase does not exceed the daily purchasing limit.

For purposes of determining usable marijuana equivalency, use the following conversion chart:

Marijuana-infused product type Equivalency to one oz of usable marijuana

Solid (chocolate bar, gummies, etc)......16 ounces

Liquid (tinctures, topicals)...... 36 fluid ounces

Example:

A registered qualifying patient intends to purchase (1) ounce of flower, (5) vape cartridges each with a net weight of 0.1 ounces, and (2) brownies each weighing 8 ounces. This transaction equals the 2.5-ounce daily purchase limit. The one ounce of flower is added to the total net weight of the vape cartridges (0.5 ounces) and the weight of the two brownies (one ounce).

See the <u>Medical Marijuana Facilities Licensing Act Administrative Rules</u> for more information.



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Purchasing Limits under the MRTMA Rules

Limits by Purchase: A marijuana retailer is prohibited from making a sale or transferring marijuana to an adult 21 years of age or older in a single transaction that exceeds 2.5 ounces, except that not more than 15 grams of marijuana may be in the form of marijuana concentrate.

According to MRTMA Emergency Rule 51, a retailer may sell up to 2.5 ounces of marijuana – or 15 grams of marijuana concentrate – to a person that is verified to be 21 years or older in a single transaction and must record the transaction in the statewide monitoring system.

See the Michigan Regulation and Taxation of Marijuana Act Emergency Rules for more information.

Questions can be sent to the Marijuana Regulatory Agency via email at MRA-Enforcement@michigan.gov.